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**Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs
Anti-corruption projects competition announcement**

The U.S. Embassy Kyiv invites Ukrainian non-governmental organizations (NGOs) to submit project proposals aimed at countering corruption in Ukraine, supporting anti-corruption reforms and ensure reforms' sustainability. The focus should be on anti-corruption reforms in the criminal justice sector. We also welcome project proposals using innovations and modern IT-technologies to target corruption and/or cross-sectoral initiatives.

The U.S. Embassy Kyiv, through the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL), invites Ukrainian NGOs to submit project proposals by Sunday, October 3.

Project duration should not be longer than 12 months. Project budget should not exceed \$75,000. Applicants should be able to adapt the project to lockdown realities if quarantine measures are strengthened due to COVID-19 pandemic.

Issuance of this notice does not constitute an award commitment on the part of the U.S. government, nor does it commit the U.S. government to pay for costs incurred in the preparation and submission of proposals. Further, the U.S. government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals received.

Eligibility Requirements

- Officially registered Ukrainian non-government organizations are eligible to apply.
- Eligible organizations and their members may not represent any political party, or serve as appointed or elected public officials at the time of application or for the duration of the

grant. Non-governmental organizations, which belong to and/or are financially supported by any political party, are not eligible to apply.

- Application to, or receipt of funds from this thematic competition, does not disqualify any organization from competing for other U.S. government funds, including the Democracy Small Grants Program general competition or other thematic competitions, or INL grants and contracts.

TO APPLY:

Organizations that are interested in applying should send a concept note to KyivINLGrants@state.gov titled “Anti-corruption 2021”.

The concept note should include the following information:

Organization name:

Website/Facebook, or other online presence:

Proposed project theme or title:

Organization physical address:

Main point of contact (i.e. project manager, organization director) name:

Contact email address:

Contact person’s mobile phone number:

Briefly describe:

- 1. Information about your organization**
- 2. Work experience in anti-corruption sector**
- 3. How you will address the issue**
- 4. Estimated budget with a brief description of what will be covered with grant support**

If your project is aligned with our objectives the grants team will reply, inviting you to submit a more detailed proposal with detailed instructions.

Please note that to be eligible for the funding, applicants must obtain DUNS, NCAGE numbers and register in [SAM.GOV](https://sam.gov). We recommend that you begin this process early as it can take

several weeks to complete. For more information, please check the following link
<https://ua.usembassy.gov/education-culture/democracy-grants/>.

Applicants may also request information by calling (044) 521-5690/5246 or writing to
KyivINLGrants@state.gov.

The U.S. Embassy Kyiv will not consider late or incomplete applications for this thematic competition.

Applicants are strongly encouraged to review the information on the U.S. Embassy Grants Program website prior to submitting their proposals.

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